

Proposed Recipient: Atlanta Christian College “Jumpstart for an Adult Education Campus in Savannah, GA”

Address of Recipient: 2605 Ben Hill Road, East Point, GA 30344

Amount of Request: \$500,000

Explanation of Request

Purpose: ACC will combine federal funds with private funds to develop a satellite campus in Savannah to bring college to working adults. ACC will work in partnership with local employers to serve both employee and employer for job creation and enhancement. This satellite campus will offer onsite and online courses with service and class times that meet the needs of working adults who have been unable to complete their degrees in a traditional classroom setting.

Why is it a good use of Taxpayer funds: Instead of investing in unemployment assistance which is not sustainable, the federal government is investing a relatively small amount of federal funds to give people the skills and training they need to obtain permanent employment and/or higher wage jobs without government assistance. This will take a significant financial burden off the local, state, and federal governments.